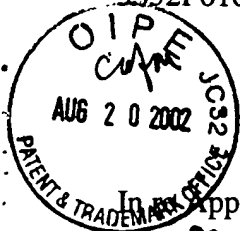


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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 14, 2002, Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 62-81. §1